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WITH ROMULO

DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE IMMEDIATELY FROM SECRETARY TO
PHILIPPINE FOREIGN SECRETARY ROMULO:

QUOTE DEAR GENERAL:

I WANTED YOU TO KNOW HOW SORRY I AM THAT OUR PLAN TO MEET
SEPTEMBER 22 HAS BECOME IMPOSSIBLE AS A RESULT OF DEVELOP-
MENTS IN AFRICA. WITH YOUR OWN WIDE EXPERIENCE IN SUCH
MATTERS, I AM SURE YOU WILL UNDERSTAND WHY THE OPPORTUNITY
TO MOVE THINGS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA REQUIRED MY MAKING THIS
TRIP AT THIS TIME.

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU LATER THIS MONTH WHEN
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YOU COME TO THE UNITED STATES FOR THE UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

AT THAT TIME WE CAN HAVE THE DISCUSSIONS PLANNED EARLIER
CONCERNING THE BASE NEGOTIATIONS. FOR REASONS WHICH I WILL
EXPLAIN WHEN WE MEET, I BELIEVE IT IS IN OUR MUTUAL
INTEREST TO COMPLETE THE NEGOTIATIONS FAIRLY RAPIDLY.
THUS, WHEN WE MEET TO DISCUSS THE VARIOUS ISSUES INVOLVED,
IT WILL BE MY ATTITUDE THAT THEY ARE BEST SETTLED QUICKLY
AND WITH FULL REGARD TO EACH OTHERS VIEWS.
WITH WARMEST REGARDS AND IN ANTICIPATION OF SEEING YOU
SOON, SINCERELY, HENRY A. KISSINGER END QUOTE ROBINSON

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